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1. SINCE RESPONSE REFTELS C AND D INDICATE THAT GOH
SHARES U.S. POSITION ON PRG AND AFRICAN LIBERATION MOVE-
MENTS (AND POSSIBLY ON GRUNK) ISSUES AND SINCE WE WILL
NEED EVERY VOTE POSSIBLE, PRESENCE OF GOH AT LOW CONFERENCE
WOULD BE EXTREMELY HELPFUL. THEREFORE REQUEST YOU MAKE
URGENT HIGH LEVEL APPROACH ASKING GOH TO ACCREDIT ITS
HONORARY CONSUL IN GENEVA TO PARTICIPATE IN CONFERENCE,
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IF ONLY FOR VOTING ON KEY QUESTIONS REGARDING PRG, AFRICAN

LIBERATION MOVEMENTS AND GRUNK. GOH REPRESENTATIVE WOULD NOT BE ALONE IN PARTICIPATING IN THIS FASHION. MOREOVER HIS ABSENCE FROM CONFERENCE AFTER THESE VOTES NEED CAUSE NO EMBARRASSMENT TO HIM, FOR NUMEROUS AFRICAN STATES ARE EXPECTED TO DO JUST THAT AFTER VOTING ON GUINEA-BISSAU AND NATIONAL LIBERATION MOVEMENTS HAS TAKEN PLACE.

2. LATEST WORD FROM USDEL IS THAT IT IS NOW UNLIKELY THAT VOTING ON KEY ISSUES WILL OCCUR BEFORE WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 27. THIS WOULD SEEM TO ALLOW SUFFICIENT TIME FOR GOH TO ISSUE APPROPRIATE INSTRUCTIONS TO ITS GENEVA REP. SISCO

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